SENATE BILL 1360

By Finney L

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 2, Chapter 7, relative to requirements for voters.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-7-112, is amended by adding the following language as a new subsection thereto:

- (_) Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, any person who is a registered voter, sixty-five (65) years of age or older, and unable to obtain a copy of such person's birth certificate shall be allowed to vote. Such person shall be required to execute an affidavit of identity on a form provided by the county election commission. The affidavit shall state that:
 - (1) The person executing the affidavit is the same individual who is casting the ballot; and
 - (2) The affiant is unable to obtain proof of identification because of an inability to obtain a copy of such affiant's birth certificate.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.